

**ABSTRACT AMENDMENT**

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(in conjunction with Figure 2)

~~A Continuouscontinuous washing machines (10) for industrial use having an inner drum (11), which can be driven in circulation, and an outer drum (22), which partially encloses said inner drum, with—The the outer drum (22) isbeing formed from outer-drum sectionsections (24) which are sealed in relation to the inner drum (11).—The known continuous washing machine (10) are sealed by seals which involve comparatively high outlay and are difficult to adjust.~~

~~The invention makes provision for, in which the end sides (25) of the cylindrically designed outer-drum sections (24) teare assigned seals (33, 24) which are fastened on the outside of the end regions of the casing of the outer-drum sections (24) by tension straps (45).—As a result, such that the outer-drum sections (24) need not be specific configurations in the end regions.—The and the seals (33, 34) can be adjusted simply by being displaced on cylindrical end regions of the outer-drum sections (24).~~